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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re :

Applicant : Steven Markin

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Honorable Sir:

**RESPONSE TO THE NOVEMBER 27, 2008 NON-FINAL OFFICE ACTION
AND PETITION FOR A THREE-MONTH EXTENSION OF TIME**

This Amendment is in response to November 27, 2008 Non-Final Office Action. In view of the following remarks and arguments, reconsideration and allowance of the claims pending in this application are respectfully requested.

Amendments to the claims begin on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 9 of this paper.